

TARS BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

JANUARY 15, 1954

The regular TARS Board of Directors meeting was held at the City Court room, Police Headquarters, Thursday January 15, 1954. The meeting was called to order at 19:46 by president <sup>1E</sup> ZEIG, with an atttentance of eleven.

The minutes of the previous Directors Meeting were read and approved.

A discussion of the possibilites and probabililes of using the building on West Heigths Road for club meetings and some activies ended by appointing a committee to investigate the matter.

It was announced that the Treasurer's books had not been audited yet but the task was to start as soon as possible.

Lefty Covert gave an account of the late happenings in the trailer deal. He said that all of the papers had been recieved in good order and the trailer was Club property. No plans for rebuilding it other than speculation. <sup>were discussed</sup> Lefty added the trailer was in his back yard. It was suggested that a board of Trustees be appointed and several names were suggested.

The meeting ajourned at 20:40, and the usual gab fest followed.

CHARLES R. STRONG

TARS SECRETARY

Charles R. Strong

REGULAR TARS MEETING

JANUARY 27, 1954

The regular TARS meeting was held Wednesday January 27, 1954 in the city court room at Police Headquarters. The meeting was called to order by president Zieg at 19:40 with an attendance of thirty.

The minutes of the last meeting was read by the secretary and approved.

Transmitters for the club trailer was discussed. It was recommended that the transmitter donated by On The Air Inc. be used along with the club's ten and two meter rigs. The necessity of a low frequency receiver was also discussed. A committee of trustees was appointed for the trailer. those named were Lefty Covert, Hank Galbraith, Humpy Campbell, and Fay Gehres.

Lefty Covert made a report on the building on West Heights road. Stating that one regular size room was available now but another room will be vacated in the near future which could be used by the club.

The auditing committee reported that the treasurer's books had been audited and everything was found in order.

The question of whether the club should be incorporated was brought up and discussed but no motion was made at this time. Program Chairman Clifford McGuyer gave a brief outline of the programs he has planned for the club this year. He then introduced mr. Ralph Barnett who gave a very interesting talk and Demonstration on Speakers. A film from ARRL on capacitors was shown.

The meeting adjourned at 21:43.

*Charles R. Strong*  
Charles R Strong  
TARS Secretary

TARS DIRECTORS MEETING  
FEBRUARY 11, 1954

The TARS directors meeting was held Wednesday, February 11, 1954 at the home of Ben Zeig. The meeting was called to order at 19:43 by Pres. Zeig with an attendance of eleven.

Lefty Covert made a progress report on the club trailer. He said he had removed all of the burnt material. He also said that everything worked from the refrigerator to the wiring and light bulbs. Snap shots of the trailer were brought to the meeting by Marvin Head and Fred Sawyer. It was also mentioned that more trustees may be needed, however none were selected.

A discussion of the club's paper, SPARKS, revealed that articles were badly need along with some kind of art-work for the front page.

Chairmen for the Hamfest and Field-Day were ~~discussed~~ <sup>Committees</sup> discussed and some names were considered but no one was appointed for either job.

A lengthy discussion on an initiation fee for future club members ended by appointing a committee, consisting of Wilber Weisling, Lefty Covert, and Roy Nelson to look further into the matter.

Soda drinks and potatoe chips were served by the Zeigs as refreshments near the end of the meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 21:30 and the usual short gab fest followed.

TARS Sec.  
Charlie Strong

*Charlie Strong*

TARS REGULAR MEETING FEBRUARY

The regular TARS meeting was held Feb. 24, 1954 in the City Court room at Police Headquarters.

The meeting was called to order at 19:39 by president <sup>IE</sup> Zeig, with an attendance of 41.

Lefty Covert made a progress report on the trailer. He said they were about ready for the plywood to replace the burnt out portion.

Humpy Campbell announced that the club had acquired a 1941 Plymouth truck. The truck was given to the club to pull the trailer with and to hold the generator.

It was announced that Hank Gailbreath will be chairman of the Field Day committee this year. No one was picked for chairman of the Hamfest committee at that date.

A discussion about incorporating the club revealed that the expenses would be about \$70.00. Fay Gehres said he had a relative who was a lawyer and might do it at a reduced price.

Visitors included several from Owensboro and Princeton along with several local visitors.

Al Schoettlin gave an interesting talk and demonstration on TVIing the Meissner Signal Shifter, followed by a talk on Vertical Antennas by Vic Chamberlin. The program was concluded with an A.R.R.L. movie on Oscillators.

The jackpot of \$15.00 was won by Al Strong.

The meeting adjourned at 20:40.

TARS DIRECTORS MEETING  
March 18, 1954

The TARS directors meeting was held March 18 at the home of Ben Zeig. The meeting was called to order at 1947 by Present Zeig.  
- The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Hank Galbraith was appointed chairman of the Field-day committee with Clifford McGuyer as co-chairman. Wilber Weisling was appointed chairman of the Hamfest committee.

A general progress report of the trailer revieled that everything was ~~going~~ fine business. Phil Hatfield, technical committee chairman, presented an equiment line-up for this year's field day. He suggested that transmitters and recievers be borrowed as in the past and use the club's transmitter on ten to contact mobiles coming and leaving the Field day site.

He also suggested that the club builed a Monotone moniter to be used during this Field day and to be installed as ~~perminate~~ permanent equiment later on.

Refreshments were served by the Zeigs and the meeting was adjourned at 21:25 with a short gabfest following.

TARS Secretary

*Charles R. Strong*  
Charles R. Strong  
W9MCN

REGULAR TARS MEETING  
MARCH 31, 1954

The regular meeting of the Tri-state Amateur Radio Society was held Wednesday, March 31, 1954 in the City court room at Police Headquarters. The meeting was called to order at 19:41 by President Zieg.

The meeting began with Lefty Covert giving a short report on the progress made on the trailer. He said they had decided to use beaver board to replace the burnt out portion.

Phil Hatfield presented a rough plan of the technical end of the trailer. He suggested the club use their ten meter rig and low frequency transmitter along with a low frequency receiver which has not been secured yet. He also suggested we construct a mono-tone before Field Day ~~and to become permanent equipment after that.~~  
which will

Humpy Campbell said the truck which was donated to the club had been damaged by vandals but a door and one fender would put it back in shape.

He also told the club that a nice location to store the truck and trailer had been located on Greenriver Road between Lincoln and Division.

Hank Galbraith Read a letter he was sending to the sectional Emergency Coordinator pertaining to the participation in the first emergency drill held this year.

It was suggested that signs be constructed by the club and set at the out-skirts of town ~~stating that out-of-town hams~~ welcoming out of town hams and stating the frequencies monitored, however it was decided that the project be dropped until the trailer was finished and working.

Lefty Covert began the program of the evening with a very interesting talk ~~on~~ Class B modulators and common troubles encountered with Class B modulation.

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He was followed by Ben Zieg who gave a talk on Standing wave bridges. Benny also had models to supplement his talk.

The meeting was adjourned at 21:43 and the usual gab-fest followed.

TARS SEC.

*Charlie R. Strong*  
Charles R. Strong

TARS BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

APRIL 15, 1954.

THE TARS BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING WAS HELD AT PRESIDENT BEN ZEIGS HOME AT 2614 ADAMS AVE. THURSDAY APRIL 15, 1954. THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER BY PRESIDENT BEN ZEIG AT 19:41 WITH AN ATTENDENCE OF 8 MEMBERS.

THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING WERE NOT READ BECAUSE THE SECRETARY WAS ABSENT.

BEN ZEIG MENTIONED THAT FRED SAWYER HAD RECEIVED THE INCORPORATION APPLICATION BLANKS AND ALL THE NECESSARY INFORMATION FOR FILLING THEM OUT. THE MEMBERS OF THE CLUB FELT THAT THEY COULD FILL OUT THE PAPERS WITHOUT THE AID OF A LAWYER AND SAVE THAT EXPENCE.

THERE WAS A DISCUSSION ON THE ARRANGEMENT OF THE INSIDE FURNISHINGS OF THE TRAILER. THE MEMBERS DECIDED THAT THE BED BE PUT BACK IN THE TRAILER AND THAT THE OPERATING POSITION BE LEFT OPEN FOR DECISION UNTILL AFTER THE FEILD DAY ACTIVITIES AT WHICH TIME THE POSITION COULD BE TRIED OUT.

FAYE GEHRES ANNOUNCED THAT THE RURAL CENTER WOULD BE AVAILABLE FOR THE HAMFEST AUGUST 29TH.

BEN ZEIG READ A LETTER FROM THE RED CROSS ANNOUNCING DIFFERENT INTERESTING TALKS THAT WERE BEING HELD DURING THE COMMING WEEK AND ADVISED THAT SOME OF THE MEMBERS OF THE CLUB ATTEND THE TALKS.

FAYE GEHRES ANNOUNCED THAT HE WOULD HAVE A TRANSMITTER HUNT ON THE 2ND OF MAY AND WOULD HAVE THE TRANSMITTER SET ON 27MC.

MC GUYER AND CALLIE JONES WERE APPOINTED BY BEN ZEIG TO GO TO THE I.R.C.C. MEETING. MGUYER ASK FOR ANY SUBJECTS OF INTEREST THAT THE MEMBERSHIP WOULD LIKE FOR HIM TO PRESENT AT THE I.R.C.C. MEETING.

WITH THE TRAILER IN DIRE NEED FOR A RECEIVER. THE DIRECTORS DECIDED THAT THE BEST WAY TO GET ONE WAS TO ASK THE CLUB MEMBERS AT THE NEXT MEETING FOR A SMALL DONATION FOR THE WORTHY CAUSE.

A DISCUSSION ON THE EMERGENCY DRILL WAS HAD AND THE DIRECTORS DIDN'T LIKE THE TYPE OF LETTER SENT OUT BY THE CIVILIAN DEFENCE OFFICE TELLING EACH MEMBER TO PARTICAPATE IN THE DRILL. THE GENERAL IDEA WAS THAT THE C.D. OFFICE NOTIFY OUR EMERGENCY DIRECTOR HANK GALBRAITH AND HE SHOULD NOTIFY EACH MEMBER OF SUCH DRILLS.

THE MEETING WAS AJOURNED AT 21:40 BY PRESIDENT BEN ZEIG.

*Wilbur Weisling*

VISE PRESIDENT  
WILBUR WEISLING  
W90VB

REGULAR MEETING  
APRIL 28, 1954

The regular meeting of the Tri-State Amateur Radio Society was held April 28, 1954 in the City Court Room at Police Headquarters. The meeting was called to order at 1944 by Pres. Zieg.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

A discussion of the Club's trailer disclosed that the hard part was now past. All of the burnt-out portion had been replaced and sanding had been started. Also the ten meter antenna and feed-line had been installed.

Humpy Campbell reported that the truck was being repaired and would be ready for use no later than June 1st. He also said the truck was to be painted yellow.

Lowell Goodson reported that he was very pleased with the response of the club members in getting articles for the club paper.

Jack Evans suggested that as many members as possible join the Armed Forces Day Parade as part of the Civil Defense communication corps.

Fay Gehres made a motion that donations be accepted by the club for a ~~low frequency~~ receiver. The response to this was so good that by the end of the meeting \$116 had been contributed.

Callie Jones gave a report on the income, expences, and profits so far this year.

A very interesting and informative talk on inductances was given by Mr. Bernerd Baldridge.

The meeting adjourned at 21:40 with the usual gab-fest following.

*Charlie Strong*  
Charles R. Strong  
Sec.

TARS REGULAR MEETING  
MAY 26, 1954

The May meeting of the Tri-state Amateur Society was held May 26, 1954 in the City Court Room at Police Headquarters. The meeting was called to order by Vice President Wilber Weisling at 19:44.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

It was reported that the trailer was about ready to be painted and that help was ~~desperately~~ needed if the trailer was to be finished by Field-Day.

Humpy Campbell reported that the truck would be ready in due time for Field-Day.

Fay Geheres showed the club the HQ 129 x receiver which they recently ~~received~~ bought for \$100.

It was decided that the next regular meeting should be held June 16th. so that Field-Day operators could be briefed on the proper operating procedure.

Phil Hatfield began the evening's program with a talk on "Home Built Test Gear" and had several samples instruments to supplement his talk.

Following this Humpy Campbell conducted an auction of gear brought in by the members.

The meeting adjourned with the regular g-b-fest.

Charlie Strong

*Charlie Strong*

TARS SEC.

TARS REGULAR MEETING  
JUNE 16, 1954

The regular meeting of the Tri-state Amateur Radio Society was held June 16th instead of the regular date which would have been June 30th so the Field Day Committee could explain how Field Day was planned and to brief the operators on the proper procedure.

The meeting ~~of~~ was called to order at 19:38 by Pres. Zieg in the City Court Room at Police Headquaters.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Fay Gehres reported that the trailer had been painted and would be ready for field day.

It was suggested that a present be purchased for the Coverts for the use of their property, tools, A.C., etc. However it was thought best to wait until the trailer was completely finished.

Phil Hatfield said he had the Monotone completed and working.

Doc Alexander said he would furnish the antenna for the Field Day operation. The antenna was to be a 130 foot Windum.

Wilber Weisling reported that he had sent out several letters concerning the Hanfest. He said he had received a few prizes and had notified CQ and QST magazines.

Al Strong and Al Schoettlin announced that the next transmitter hunt would be held July 4th on 27mc.

It was decided that the rules for the jackpot drawing be changed so that names would continue to be drawn until someone's name was drawn who was present ~~at the~~ ~~at the~~ ~~program~~

The program consisted of layout, plans, and operating procedures for field day. given by M. Gayer

The meeting adjourned at 23:25. ~~but the~~ ~~at the~~ ~~gabfest~~

Charlie Strong

Charlie Strong  
TARS Sec.

TARS BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

JULY 22, 1954.

THE TARS BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING WAS HELD AT BEN ZEIGS HOME THURSDAY JULY 22, 1954. THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER BY PRESIDENT ZEIG AT 20:00.

THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING WERE NOT READ BECAUSE OF THE SECRETARIES ABSENTS.

CLIFFORD McGUYER GAVE A RUN DOWN ON THE PROPOSED INCORPORATION PAPERS FOR THE CLUB AND A FEW OF THE ARTICLES WERE DISCUSSED.

BEN ZEIG STATED THAT PHIL HATFIELD HAD A LOT OF NEW IDEAS ON THE CLUBS TRANSMITTER AND WOULD POSSIBLY HAVE ONE IN OPERATION IN TIME FOR THE HAMFEST.

BEN SAID THE TRAILER WOULD BE USED AT THE HAMFEST AND THAT SOME OF THE FELLOWS SHOULD TRY TO GET OUT TO LEFTIES HOUSE TO WORK ON THE TRAILER.

McGUYER GAVE THE SCORES MADE BY THE DIFFERENT CLUBS THROUGH OUT INDIANA DURING FIELD DAY AND STATED THAT WE CAME IN SECOND. McGUYER ASK FOR IDEAS ON IMPROVING THE OPERATING PROCEDURE SO WE COULD WIN NEXT YEAR.

WILBUR WEISLING READ THE LIST OF ARTICLES THAT HAD BEEN RECEIVED UP TO DATE FOR THE HAMFEST. THE DIFFERENT ACTIVITIES THAT COULD TAKE PLACE AT THE HAMFEST WERE DISCUSSED. WILBUR AGREED TO HAVE MOVIES FOR THE KIDS TO TAKE UP PART OF THEIR TIME. FRED SAWYER STATED THAT HE HAD SENT OUT PAPER TO ALL THAT ATTENDED THE HAMFEST LAST YEAR.

BEN ZEIG ANNOUNCED THAT LOWELL GOODSON HAD RESIGNED AS EDITOR OF SPARKS BECAUSE OF HIS OTHER ACTIVITIES AT THE BANK WHICH WERE MORE THAN HE COULD HANDLE. FRED SAWYER WAS NAMED AS EDITOR FOR THE REST OF THE YEAR.

BEN ZEIG READ A LETTER WHICH FRED SAWYER SENT TO MRS ROY QUINE SETTING THE CLUB REGRETS OF THE PASSING OF ROY QUINE. CALLIE JONES SAID HE HAD SENT FLOWERS FOR THE CLUB.

THE MEETING WAS AJOURNED AT 21:55.

VICE PRESIDENT  
WILBUR WEISLING

*Wilbur Weisling*

REGULAR TARS MEETING

JULY 28, 1954

The regular meeting of the Tri-State Amateur Radio Society was held July 28, 1954 in the City Court Room at Police Headquarters. The meeting was called to order at 19:39 by President Ben Zieg.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Hank Galbreath explained that in order to keep the Link mobile equipment available to the club the user must call in to most of the emergency drills otherwise the equipment would have to be given back to the club and reissued to some one else.

Wilber Wiesling read a list of prizes he had received for the Hamfest and explained the games, contests, etc. he had lined up. He also stated that help would be needed Saturday morning to take the trailer out to the Rural Center and make other preparations.

It was suggested that the Club purchase a Heathkit VFO kit to add to the already purchased Heathkit meters.

Ben Zieg reported that there was still some work to be done on the trailer before it was displayed at the Hamfest. Ben thought that about three sessions would complete these odd jobs.

It was decided that a special directors meeting be held at Lefty Covert's home August 2 in order to complete the incorporation papers.

A very interesting talk was given by W9PNE on "How to Get the Most Out of Low Frequencies".

The meeting adjourned with the usual gabfest following

CHARLES R. STRONG

*Charles R. Strong, Wamer*

TARS SEC.

SPECIAL DIRECTORS MEETING

AUGUST 2, 1954

A special meeting of the Board of Directors was called to order at 19:40 by President Zieg on August 2, 1954 at Lefty Covert's home.

The purpose of this meeting was to complete the Clubs Incorporation papers and secure the necessary signatures. By the end of the meeting all forms were completed or accounted for.

The meeting adjourned at 21:44.

CHARLES R. STRONG

W9MCN

*Charles R. Strong, W9MCN*

TARS SEC.

TARS BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

AUGUST 12, 1954

The August Directors Meeting was held August 12, 1954 at the home of Callie Jones. The meeting was called to order a 19:37 by President Zieg.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

McGuyer had the Incorporation papers which were read by everyone to be sure they were correct and satisfactorily.

Ben Zieg reported that there was still a little work to be done ~~on~~ the trailer. He added that the R.F. section of the Club transmitter was working on 80 and 40.

Wilber Weisling gave a run down on the Hamfest ~~prizes~~ reading a list of the prizes he has received and discussing the general Hamfest plan.

It was decided to move the monthly emergency drill to the Saturday night before the Hamfest and put up signs as the drill.

The meeting adjourned at 10:15.

CHARLES R. STRONG W9MCN

*Charles R. Strong, W9MCN*  
TARS SEC.

REGULAR MEETING

AUGUST 25, 1954

The August meeting of the Tri-State Amateur Radio Society was held August 25, 1954 in the City Court Room at Police Headquarters. The meeting was called to order at 19:30 by President Zieg.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

McGuyer announced that the incorporation papers had been appproved and that the club was incorporated. He read and passed around the certifice of incorporation.

Callie Jones gave a treasurer report for the second quarter which listed a balance of \$587.61.

McGuyer announced that the club had applied for an F.C.C. station license. He said that a two letter call had been requested but didn't know what the chances of getting it was. Clifford McGuyer is to the trustee of tge station.

Wilber Weisling read a list of the new prizes he had recieved for the Hamfest. Also he explained how the Hamfest site was to be readied the Saturday morning before the Hamfest.

It was also announced that the club transmitter would not be ready for use at the Hamfest.

The meeting adjourned

The program was stated by Russ Price, W9GWL who gave a very interesting and informative talk on single sideband. To conclude the program Fred Sawyer talkeb on the history of TARS briefly describibg TARS history and activies.

Wilber Weisling won the jack-pot of \$5.00.

The meeting adjourned with the regular gabfest following.

Charlie Srtong

*Charlie Stone*

TARS Sec.

DIRECTORS MEETING

SEPTEMBER 16, 1954

The September directors meeting of the Tri-State Amateur Radio Society, Inc. was held September 16, 1954, at the home of Benny Zieg. The meeting was called to order at 19:55 by President Zieg.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Wilber Weisling gave a report of the Hamfest. Everything came off as planned with a larger attendance than ever before. Estimates showed approximately \$100.00 profit but no accurate figure had been compiled.

A discussion of the Club paper revieled that owning a Ditto machine would soon be a nessitty. Comments favored purchasing a second hand one.

The meeting adjourned at 21:25 witha gabfest following.

Charlie Strong

*Charlie Strong*

TARS Sec.

REGULAR MEETING

SEPTEMBER 29, 1954

The September meeting of the Tri-State Amateur Radio Society, Inc. was held September 29, 1954 in the city court room at Police Headquarters. The meeting was called to order by Vice President Wilber Weisling at 19:42.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

A report on the Hamfest listed a total of 273 people attending and a net profit of \$97.21.

No new business was brought up.

The program began with Wilber Weisling's talk on his new 813 transmitter with the new all-band tuner. To conclude the program Fay Gehres talked on the theory and operation of the all-band tuner.

The meeting adjourned at 21:03 with the usual bull-session following.

Charlie Strong

*Charlie Strong*

TARS SEC.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

OCTOBER 14, 1954

The October Directors meeting of the Tri-State Amateur Society Inc. was held October 14, 1954 at Ben Zieg's home. The meeting was called to order at 19:44 by President Zieg.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

It was announced that a used Ditto machine could be purchased locally for about \$50 or \$60.

It was reported that trouble had been encountered on the Club transmitter and future plans were indefinite at that time.

The meeting adjourned at 22:48.

CHARLES R. STRONG W9MCN

*Charles R. Strong, W9MCN*

TARS SEC.

OCTOBER REGULAR MEETING

OCTOBER 28, 1954

The regular meeting of the Tri-State Amateur Radio Society, Inc. was held October 28, 1954 in the City Court Room at Police Headquarters. The meeting was called to order at 19:40 by Pres. Zieg.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A committee was appointed to look into the Ditto machine prospects that have been located. The committee was allotted \$75 for the purchase of such a machine. Serving on the committee are Lowell Goodson, Fay Gehres, and Fred Sawyer.

It was announced that the Club's application for license had been processed but the two-letter call was not secured. The call issued was W9LIT.

The technical committee was allotted \$50 dollars for the purchase of a second hand exciter for use in the trailer.

The quarterly Treasures report listed a balance of \$665.85.

The annual election of officers took the place of the program. The results are:

President--Clifford McGuyer W9DGA  
Vice President--Al Schoettlin W9UMS  
Secretary--Wilber Weisling W9OVB  
Treasurer--Lowell Goodson W9RIV  
Directors--Fay Gehres W9AIN  
Phil Hatfield W9GFS  
SWL Director--Paul Wertz SWL

The jackpot was won by Al Schoettlin.

The meeting adjourned at 21:15 and coffee and donuts were served.

Charlie Strong

*Charlie Strong*

TARS Sec.

TARS BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

NOVEMBER 11, 1954

The November TARS directors meeting was held Thursday, November 11, 1954 at Ben Zieg's home. The meeting was called to order at 19:52 by President Zieg.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The main discussion of the meeting was the November Dinner Meeting which was to be held at the Union Bulding of Evansville College. It was decided that roast beef was the best possible dinner within our limits. The Dinner was to cost \$2.00 a plate.

Hoch, W9KDV, was to be the guest speaker.

It was announced that a used Signal Shifter had been found and a deal was being made.

A discussion of the merits and demerits of a nominating committee for club elections hereafter brought up several suggestions but no conclusions were made.

The meeting adjourned at 20:48.

CHARLES R. STRONG W9MCN

*Charles R. Strong, W9MCN*

TARS SEC.

November Regular Meeting

November 23, 1954

The Regular November meeting of the Tri-State Amateur Radio Society, Inc. was held November 23, 1954 at Evansville College. The meeting was called to order at 18:35 by President Zieg.

No business was conducted because this was the annual Society Dinner Meeting.

The guest speaker was Hoch, W9KDV who gave a very interesting talk after the meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 21:40 with a gabfest following.

CHARLES R. STRONG

TARS SEC.

TARS DIRECTORS MEETING

DECEMBER 15, 1954

The December Directors Meeting of the Tri-State Amateur Radio Society, Inc. Was held December 15, 1954 at the home of Ben Zeig. The meeting was called to order at 19:40 by President Zeig.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

No business was transacted other than the appointment of an auditing committee. Humpy Campbell and Bob Fink were appointed to the committee.

Ben displayed the Meissner Signal Shifter the Club recently purchased for thirty five dollars. The instrument was in good condition and Ben said it would drive his PP813's to about 350 watts. He also stated that it had low harmonic output.

The meeting adjourned at 21:00 followed by the usual gab-fest.

Charles R. Strong

*Charles R. Strong*

TARS Sec.

REGULAR MEETING

DECEMBER 29, 1954

The December meeting of the Tri-State Amateur Radio Society, Inc was held December 29, 1954 in the City Court Room at Police Headquarters. The meeting was called to order at 19:44 by President Zieg.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

It was suggested that the club subscribe to the Call Book. To keep the expense down the old call book would be sold at a reduced price as soon as the new one arrived. It was also suggested that the club purchase some QSL cards for the club call, but a special design was favored so no action was taken.

An auditing committee was appointed to audit the treasures books. Serving on the committee are Bob Finke and Humpy Campbell.

The program began with a talk and demonstration on remotely controlled garage doors by Earl Allridge. Clifford McGuyer gave a talk on the ARRL government. Mac also had on display his DXCC certificate and explained the workings of the ARRL government.

The meeting came to an end at 21:51.

Charlie Strong

*Charlie Strong*

TARS SEC.